

# Colteer 1-22

**Calibers: .22 short; long; long rifle  
or .22 magnum. (standard velocity  
and high speed)**



Your new Colteer 1-22 is a rugged, accurate, dependable rifle. Used with .22 short cartridges, it provides good plinking and target practice at nominal cost. With long, long rifle or .22 magnum cartridges, its inherent accuracy makes it an excellent small game piece.

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The Colteer 1-22 is a superior quality single-shot .22 caliber rifle. It features a specially designed loading ramp; a self-cocking bolt; a band ramp front sight and a rear sight which is quickly adjustable for elevation and windage. The round, tapered and crowned barrel is made of the finest quality steel. The stock, made of genuine American Black Walnut, has a Monte Carlo comb, a full pistol grip and a rugged composition butt plate. The receiver is designed for easy mounting of the Coltmaster Jr. telescope sight.

## **OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

When you unpack your Colteer 1-22 you will find that the bolt is not assembled to the receiver. To insert the bolt, align the mating surfaces of the bolt and the receiver, hold the trigger in the rearward position and slide the bolt all the way forward. Your rifle is now completely assembled.

To load a round of either short, long, long rifle or .22 magnum ammunition into the chamber of your rifle pull the bolt to the rear, rest the cartridge in the loading ramp just behind the chamber and push the bolt forward and lock it. The rifle will not fire unless the bolt is in locked position. To extract and eject the expended round, unlock the bolt and pull it to the rear.

## **THE SAFETY**

The safety on your Colteer 1-22 is located at the left rear of the receiver. To engage the safety, raise it as high as it will go. The safety is in the "off" or firing position when the safety knob is down. Always keep the loaded rifle on "safe" when you are carrying it.

**AMMUNITION:** .22 short, long rifle or .22 magnum.

**CAUTION:** If your rifle is chambered for the .22 short, long or long rifle cartridge it will not safely fire the .22 magnum cartridge and vice versa.

**LENGTH OF BARREL:** 24".

**LENGTH OVER-ALL:** 41 $\frac{3}{4}$ ".

**WEIGHT:** 5½ lbs.

**SIGHTS:** Band ramp front, adjustable rear. Receiver adapted for scope sights.

**STOCK:** American Black Walnut, pistol grip.

## **CARE AND CLEANING**

Your Colteer 1-22 is a superior quality rifle and should be treated as such. Although its rugged construction assures you of years of trouble-free operation, you can extend its service life and get the full benefit of the accuracy built into it by taking a few simple precautions.

Clean the bore carefully before you fire it for the first time and always clean it after you have fired it. If you use ammunition with smokeless powder and non-corrosive primers, cleaning will present no problem.

Check to make sure that the chamber is empty. Remove the bolt. This is done by putting the safety in the "off" position, holding the trigger in the rearward position and removing the bolt the rest of the way.

All you need in the way of cleaning materials is a brass wire-bristle brush; a brass, aluminum or hardwood cleaning rod with "jag" type tip; cotton flannel patches cut to fit the bore snugly; a good cleaning solution (there are several preparations on the market); and a light, non-gumming oil.

After cleaning all fouling from the barrel, chamber, and face of the bolt, you should wipe off the other parts of the rifle, too. When you have finished the actual cleaning process, lightly oil all metal surfaces.

## **SIGHTING YOUR COLTEER 1-22**

We recommend that you sight your rifle before attempting any hunting or target shooting. Although it has been factory-sighted for 100 yards with iron sights, you will want to make the fine adjustments necessary to make it just right for you. The rear sight is adjustable for both windage and elevation.

# **WARRANTY**

All Colt's firearms are built to exacting standards of engineering and manufacturing and are rigidly inspected before leaving our factory. They are warranted to be free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service for a period of 12 months from the date of purchase. Colt's obligation is limited to repairing or replacing, F.O.B. Hartford, Conn., U.S.A. any part of a Colt's firearm which Colt's examination discloses to be thus defective.

This warranty is in lieu of all other warranties, expressed or implied. This warranty shall not apply to defects resulting from accidents, alterations or misuse. If—in the opinion of Colt's gunsmiths employed at Hartford, Connecticut—modifications, changes or additions made outside our factory have affected the operation of the weapon to render it faulty, this warranty shall be void. This warranty shall also be void if any part not of Colt's manufacture has been incorporated, or if other than factory-loaded ammunition is fired in it.

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